

SUN MICROSYSTEMS, INC.

Form 4

January 31, 2007

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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*See* Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MacGowan William N

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
SUN MICROSYSTEMS, INC.  
[SUNW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
4150 NETWORK CIRCLE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/29/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
Chief HR Officer & EVP

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/29/2007		F	16,341 D	\$ 6.33	245,882 <sup>(10)</sup>	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. F Der Sec (Ins	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 12.5313							<u>(2)</u>	04/20/2007	Common Stock	24,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 17							<u>(2)</u>	08/11/2007	Common Stock	40,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 40							<u>(2)</u>	04/12/2008	Common Stock	12,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 45.0313							<u>(2)</u>	06/13/2008	Common Stock	24,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 18.58							<u>(2)</u>	04/18/2009	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 16.25							<u>(2)</u>	06/13/2009	Common Stock	5,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 7.91							<u>(2)</u>	09/27/2009	Common Stock	18,000

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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 12.59	<u>(2)</u>	11/07/2009	Common Stock	30,000
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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 9.14	<u>(2)</u>	03/19/2010	Common Stock	200
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 9.14	<u>(2)</u>	03/19/2010	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 3.7	<u>(3)</u>	07/25/2010	Common Stock	40,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 4.2	<u>(4)</u>	05/21/2011	Common Stock	30,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 4.208	<u>(5)</u>	11/13/2011	Common Stock	40,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 3.9	<u>(6)</u>	04/30/2012	Common Stock	300,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u>	\$ 3.79	<u>(7)</u>	07/29/2012	Common Stock	100,000
	\$ 3.85	<u>(8)</u>	07/28/2013		300,000

Employee  
Stock  
Option  
(Right to  
Buy) (1)

Common  
Stock

Employee  
Stock  
Option \$ 4.26  
(Right to  
Buy) (1)

(9) 07/27/2016 Common Stock 400,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MacGowan William N 4150 NETWORK CIRCLE SANTA CLARA, CA 95054			Chief HR Officer & EVP	

## Signatures

/s/ William N.  
MacGowan 01/30/2007

   \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) This option was granted under the Sun Microsystems, Inc. 1990 Long-Term Equity Incentive Plan.
- (2) Immediately.
- (3) This option vests and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments of 8,000 shares beginning on July 25, 2003.
- (4) This option vests and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments of 6,000 shares beginning on May 21, 2004.
- (5) This option vests and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments of 8,000 shares beginning on November 13, 2004.
- (6) This option vests and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments of 60,000 shares beginning on April 30, 2005.
- (7) This option vests and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments of 20,000 shares beginning on July 29, 2005.
- (8) This option vests and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments of 60,000 shares beginning on July 28, 2006.
- (9) This option vests and becomes exercisable in five equal annual installments of 80,000 shares beginning on July 27, 2007.
- (10) Includes 174,750 shares of unvested restricted stock.

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